

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

LINWOOD BRANT

CIVIL ACTION

v.

DAVID VARANO, et al.

NO. 08-4478

<u>ORDER</u>

AND NOW, this 18th day of

June_

, 2009, upon

consideration of the pleadings and record herein, and after review of the Report and

Recommendation of Chief Magistrate Judge Thomas J. Rueter, it is hereby

ORDERED

that:

- The Report and Recommendation is APPROVED and ADOPTED;
- 2. The petition for a writ of habeas corpus is **DENIED**; and
- 3. There is no probable cause to issue a certificate of appealability.

BY THE COURT:

HARVEY BAR(TLE, III

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